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Charles Krenmueller was a business  
caller at this office Thursday.

Mr. Jos. Christilles was here from  
LaCoste Saturday on business.

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Allen Koch was over from D'Hanis  
the latter part of last week on busi-  
ness.

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J. C. Merriman was here from  
Big Springs for a few days visit with  
relatives and friends.

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District Clerk Aug. Kempf returned  
Thursday from a week's stay with  
his children in San Antonio.

FOR SALE—A slightly used cream  
separator, No. 10, for \$25. See S.  
E. Rieber, at Tarpley, Texas. 4t-p.

Miss Norma Perkins of Dallas has  
been the guest of her aunt, Mrs.  
Theodore Cameron, for the past  
week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Stone of Del  
Rio spent several days the first of  
the week visiting Miss Lena and Mr.  
Bess Stone.

Get three of your friends to join  
you in a club and all four of you  
receive FARMING a year for \$2.00  
for the club.

Mrs. H. E. Medlin and little son  
are visiting in San Antonio this week,  
the guests of Mrs. Medlin's mother,  
Mrs. John Gibbons.

Miss Winnie Phillips, who had been  
the guest of Misses Bess and Lillian  
Brucks for several days, left Wed-  
nesday night for her home in Wash-  
ington.

Mrs. Horace Bradley and son,  
James Horace, spent the week in  
San Antonio visiting Mrs. Bradley's  
parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Bier-  
schwale.

We appreciate the favor when  
write-ups of social, club, lodge,  
church, etc., affairs are handed in for  
publication. Help us make the Anvil  
Herald a newsy paper. 41-tf.

Lieutenant and Mrs. C. D. Eddle-  
man left Thursday morning for Cali-  
fornia from which coast they will  
call for their new home in the Phil-  
ippine Islands. They are making  
the trip through to California by  
auto.

Miss Adelaide Marty and little sis-  
ter, Katherine, of San Antonio, and  
Miss Christilles of LaCoste spent  
Saturday here visiting the Misses  
Marty's aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs.  
Eugen Huesser.

We have installed a SERVWELL  
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within the radius of this paper's cir-  
culation. Address The Fletcher  
Davis' Print Shop, Hondo, Texas.

Judge and Mrs. H. E. Haass and  
Misses Irene Haass and Lucille de  
Montel attended the Baccalaureate  
services for the graduates of Breck-  
enridge High School, which were held  
at the Municipal auditorium in San  
Antonio Sunday. Miss Lucille's  
brother, Ralph de Montel, is one of  
the graduates.

Mrs. Eugen V. Behan and children,  
Montel and Jeanne, spent the week  
here with her parents, Judge and  
Mrs. Ed de Montel. Captain Behan  
and family expect to leave about  
June 1st, for a motor trip to New  
York, Philadelphia and other points  
of interest in the Captain's "old  
stamping grounds".

Miss Annie de Montel of Castro-  
ville spent last week-end here with  
her sister, Miss Lucille de Montel.  
Miss Annie is a recent graduate of  
the Castroville High School and has  
chosen nursing as her profession.  
She is entering the Santa Rosa School  
of nursing for her training.

Try the Daily and Sunday Houston  
Chronicle, every day from now until  
July 1, 1927, for \$1.50. The Daily  
only from now until September 1,  
1927, for \$1.50. Hand us your sub-  
scription and get FARMING with  
the Chronicle without additional  
charges. 3t.

Miss Lena Stone left Thursday for  
Thomaston, where she will join her  
brother and sisters, Mr. and Mrs. D.  
B. McManus and Miss Stella Stone,  
in an auto trip to Pine Bluff, Ark.,  
where they will spend some time with  
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stone.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Scherrer and  
Mrs. I. E. Isom and little son, ac-  
companied by Miss Anne Davis of  
Our Lady of the Lake College, were  
here from San Antonio Sunday,  
guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher  
Davis.

Mrs. Alvina Koch and daughter,  
Hazel, and son, Mitchell, and Marlyn  
Nester were over from D'Hanis Sun-  
day visiting Mrs. Eugen Huesser and  
Miss Hulda Nester.

Should the magneto in your Ford  
show any sign of weakness, drive in  
and let us test it free. It can be  
done in a few minutes.—Citizen's  
Motor Car Co.

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job printing or advertising and you  
will be waited on by a representative  
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tires. Moderate prices and satisfac-  
tory service. Citizens Motor Car  
Co., Aug. E. Weyand, Propr. tf.

Have you any fences to build? If  
so call on Alfred T. Winkler or Emil  
J. Leinweber, fence contractors,  
Hondo, Texas, Phone 958F22. 4t-p

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Decker and  
daughter, Miss Clara, are guests of  
their son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs.  
Floyd Griffin, at Dallas.

Next Thursday, Friday and Satur-  
day, June 2nd, 3rd and 4th, original  
Rexall One Cent Sale at Fly Drug  
Co.

DAINTY AND COOL House  
Dresses—striped and checked pat-  
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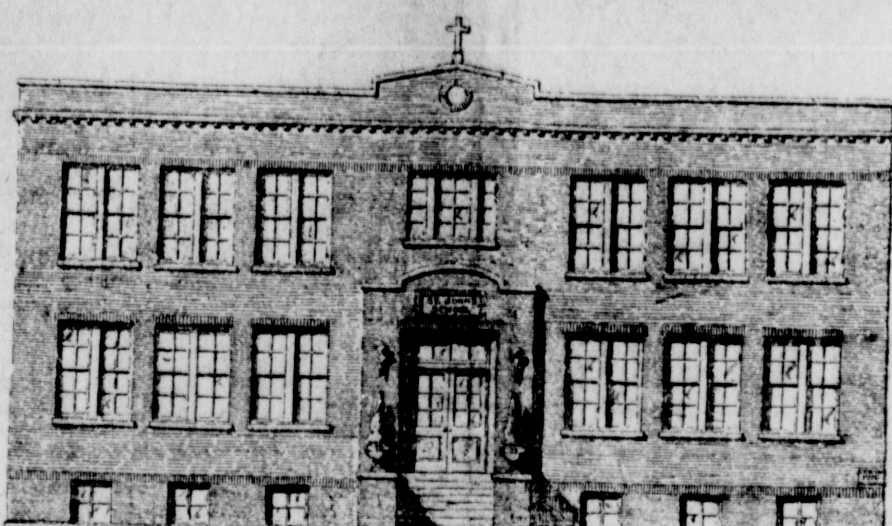
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Hondo Army Store. 2t.

We do Job Printing. Phone 127.

If you do not read  
The Water Bearer  
In FARMING  
You miss a treat;  
You won't miss  
Its cost  
25c



## Commencement Exercises

ST. JOHN'S SCHOOL.

May 29, 1927, at 7:30 P. M.

### PROGRAM.

1. SALUTATORY, BERTHA BIEDIGER.
2. Song, "Hark the Evening Bells are Ringing"—HIGH SCHOOL PUPILS.
3. PIANO DUET, "Carmen" IRENE MECHLER.  
ADELE DECKER.
4. VIOLIN SOLO, "Souvenir" CHARLES BLOOMQUIST.
5. CLASS PROPHECY, MADELINE DROITCOURT.  
ADELE DECKER.  
CHARLES BLOOMQUIST.  
FRANCES FINGER.
6. VIOLIN TRIO, "Love and Flowers", ANNE LEAH BRUCKS.  
FRANCES FINGER.
7. PIANO DUET, "Yuletide Bells", HARRY FILEMAN.
8. CLASS WILL, HIGH SCHOOL PUPILS.
9. SONG, "The Call of Duty," CHARLES BLOOMQUIST.
10. VIOLIN SOLO, The Maid's Dream, MADELINE DROITCOURT.  
FRANCES FINGER.
11. PIANO DUET, Listen to the Mocking Bird, RUBY RIEBER.
12. VALEDICTORY, SENIORS.
13. SONG, "Graduates' Farewell," SENIORS.
14. PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS AND CERTIFICATES FOR SHORT-HAND AND BOOKKEEPING.
15. ADDRESS, REV. T. A. FLYNN.

### WINS FIGHT AGAINST INCREASE OF RATES.

Fire Insurance Rate Increase Plea  
Refused by Insurance Com-  
missioner.

Petition of fire insurance com-  
panies operating in Texas for a gen-  
eral increase in rates, under advise-  
ment for weeks by the state insur-  
ance commission, was refused offi-  
cially by the commission Tuesday.

A heated hearing on the petition  
was held here some time ago be-  
tween companies seeking permission  
for general rate raises and chambers  
of commerce and other civic organi-  
zations opposing.

Losses the companies claim to  
have suffered may be largely traced,  
the commission said it believes, to  
lack of "proper judgment in under-  
writing business accepted by them"  
and the commission will grant no  
raise until "the effect of increases

referred to can be determined and  
until the companies furnish satis-  
factory information that they are  
using reasonable care in appointing  
agents and accepting risks."

Above is an excerpt from the Aus-  
tin American of May 25, and it  
should interest everyone as it means  
a big saving to Hondo on fire in-  
surance bills.

It comes as a direct result of the  
concerted efforts of the Chambers of  
Commerce and Retail Merchants As-  
sociations of Texas, in which the  
Hondo organizations took an active  
part.

Thus is it proven again that the  
CHAMBER OF COMMERCE is an  
asset to Hondo, and that the RETAIL  
MERCHANTS ASSOCIATION is  
more than merely an organization  
to keep a record of the way in which  
you care for your obligations.

MAY THESE ORGANIZATIONS  
HAVE MORE OF YOUR INTEREST  
AND CO-OPERATION!

Other business was attended to.  
Discussions were made by members  
of the class of the work that had  
been assigned to them.

The meeting adjourned. After a  
social hour the hostess served  
delicious refreshments.

Next Thursday, Friday and Satur-  
day, June 2nd, 3rd and 4th, original  
Rexall One Cent Sale at Fly Drug  
Co.

### TRUST.

By Fletcher Davis.

I would not sit in judgment  
On the ways of Providence,  
For e'en blessings oft are sent  
In ways that confuse our sense.

And only the senseless fool,  
Proud and vainglorious man,  
Would seek by poor finite rule  
To mark God's infinite plan!

Then let me but live in hope  
That "whatever is is best,"  
And, though in darkness I grope,  
Leave to Him in faith the rest.

So shall storms their terrors lose,  
So shall the path be made straight,  
Softened the night's Stygian hues,  
And mine no uncertain fate!

### FINAL MEETING OF SOPHIAN CLUB.

The members of the Sophian Club,  
for their final meeting of the year  
1926-1927, motored to San Antonio  
on Wednesday, May 25th, and spent  
the afternoon at the Witte Memorial,  
following this with a luncheon at the  
Original.

At the Museum, the various ex-  
hibits were inspected and the mem-  
bers found something suited to their  
individual tastes, as the exhibits  
covered coins, period furniture, guns,  
natural history and Indian pottery,  
dress, shields and spears on the first  
floor. On the second floor were the  
art exhibits, one whole section being  
given to the works of Theodore Mor-  
gan, while the others were representa-  
tive of the work of Texas artists.

At five-thirty, the club went to  
the Original. Here places were mark-  
ed with butterfly place cards, at a  
table strewn with sweet peas, the  
club flower, and green vines. At  
each end of the table and in the center  
were low bowls filled with bou-  
quets of sweet peas and fern. These  
were later presented to the retiring  
president, Miss Lena Stone, and Mrs.  
W. C. Brown, the on-coming presi-  
dent, by Mrs. Earl Boon and Mrs.  
Roland Gaines.

Favors of miniature spinning  
wheels and wooden shoes were con-  
tributed by Mrs. F. S. Cockrell.

Mrs. H. E. Medlin gave a toast to  
the retiring president, Miss Stone,  
who graciously responded. Mrs. Ed.  
Cameron gave a toast to the in-  
coming president, Mrs. W. C. Brown, who  
responded in her usual pleasing man-  
ner.

Miss Bess Brucks gave a humorous  
reading of the trials of a maid in a  
hammock, then, later, as secretary,  
read the resignation of Mrs. F. S.  
Cockrell, which was accepted.

Miss Stone closed these formalities  
with her farewell speech in which she  
expressed her love for the club and  
her desire to still serve faithfully in  
other duties, after which she pre-  
sented the gavel to the new president,  
Mrs. Brown, and a gift to the club  
as a whole, the framed certificate of  
membership of the Sophian Club in  
the Federated Clubs of America.

Mrs. Brown responded in her easy  
and expressive way, pledging herself  
to work for the club and its interests  
and asking the support of every one  
—likening herself to the vine and the  
club as the oak.

A four-course luncheon, consist-  
ing of Mexican dishes, was served to  
the following:

Mesdames W. C. Brown, D. W.  
Griffis, F. S. Cockrell, Edw. Cam-  
eron, Fletcher Davis, Roland Gaines,  
Earl Boon, H. E. Medlin, Frank  
Schweers, Will Muennink, Alfred  
Schweers, O. H. Miller, R. J. Noonan;  
Misses Lena Stone, Bess Brucks,  
Lucille de Montel, Dutz Davis and  
Willie D. Fly.

### A FAMILY WEEK AT THE COLONIAL FOR 50c.

The whole family goes to the  
Colonial Theatre for THURSDAY,  
FRIDAY and SATURDAY for only  
50c. A family from 1 to 12 for the  
three entire days for only 50c, and  
if you have 12 or more children you  
go free.

Our theatre is completed and we  
want everybody to be there. That's  
why we are inviting you out to our  
family week. Don't forget it's the  
whole family goes to the show three  
times in the week and it only costs  
fifty cents. Get your family ticket  
at the Box Office at the COLONIAL  
THEATRE.

Don't forget Monday and Tues-  
day, May 30 and 31, "The Unknown  
Soldier."

### METHODIST CHURCH.

Sunday, May 29, 1927:

Sunday School ..... 9:45 A. M.  
\* Preaching Service ..... 11:00 A. M.  
\* Junior League ..... 3:30 P. M.  
\* Senior League ..... 7:00 P. M.  
\* Evening Service ..... 8:00 P. M.  
\* Quarterly Conference following the  
evening service. Rev. S. L. Batch-  
elor, Presiding Elder of the Uvalde  
District will preach at the Sunday  
evening service and will conduct the  
\* Quarterly Conference. The public  
is cordially invited to attend. Mid-  
week Prayer Meeting, Wednesday,  
8:00 P. M.

W. S. EZELL,

Pastor.

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### SCHOOL IS OUT.

As we went to press last Friday,  
preparations were just completed for  
the graduating exercises of the Hondo  
High School.

When the twenty-four graduates,  
the High School faculty, the School  
Board and the speaker of the evening  
took their places the stage at the  
auditorium was completely filled.  
When they looked out at the audience  
in front of them one of the largest  
crowds ever assembled in the Audi-  
torium for graduation exercises greet-  
ed them.

The program was rendered success-  
fully in every particular, the various  
spokesmen for the class presenting  
their themes in a creditable manner.

A saxophone duet by Miss Rhoda  
Mae Taylor and Otis Schuehle and  
a vocal duet by Mrs. F. S. Cockrell  
and Miss Octavia Davis served to  
give variety and added interest to  
the evening's program.

The chief event was the address by  
Dr. Frederick Eby of the State Uni-  
versity. Dr. Eby counseled the  
graduates to examine themselves and  
answer to their own consciences if  
they had made sufficient proficiency in  
the great basic principles of life to  
meet its issues with confidence and  
ability to cope with them. His coun-  
sel and advice was interspersed with  
occasional sallies of homespun wit  
and humor that served to show that  
while life is a serious matter it is  
no drab or sordid affair and has its  
wholesome lighter side.

The Doctor's address was well re-  
ceived by his large audience.

After the address, the presenta-  
tion of diplomas followed. Then the  
benediction, and the 1926-1927 term  
of Hondo High School passed into  
history along with those that have  
gone before.

Congratulations and good luck to  
the class of '26-'27.

### MRS. THEO. CAMERON ENTER- TAINS.

Mrs. Theo. Cameron entertained  
Saturday afternoon honoring her  
niece, Mason Mosier, on her eleventh  
birthday.

The afternoon was spent in play-  
ing games and contests, the most in-  
teresting one being when the honoree  
followed a piece of string which end-  
ed in a Japanese lantern in which  
was a birthday gift from the honoree's  
mother and father.

Refreshments of angel food cake  
and deviled food cake and lemonade  
were served to the following: John  
Cameron, Bobby Cameron, Jack  
Muennink, Ralph Haass, Clinton  
Jagge, Charles Schmidt, Mary Ruth,  
Dwyce and Bonnie Jack Cameron,  
Charlotte Miller, Mary Lois Barnes,  
Lucy Davis, Virginia Chaplain, Susie  
Muennink, Della Muennink, Billie  
Fusselman, Doris Windrow, Thelma  
and Mary Ruth Wilson, Rosina Tay-  
lor, Vivian Journey, Bernice Speece,  
Bernice Chancey, Adabelle Carter,  
Mrs. Ed. Cameron, the honoree,  
Mason Mosier, and the hostess, Mrs.  
Theo. Cameron.

### ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH NOTES.

Sunday, May 29, 9:15 A. M., Sun-  
day School; 10:30 A. M., English ser-  
vices. On Tuesday, May 31, at 9:00  
A. M., confirmation instruction for  
children will begin. Parents desiring  
to send their children will please an-  
nounce their intention to the pastor.

Since our last report in the Anvil  
Herald, the following have been ac-  
cepted as members of St. Paul's  
Lutheran congregation: Mr. and Mrs.  
Armin Breiten, Mr. Alfred Winkler,  
Mrs. J. T. Kinnard, Mrs. Ben Graff,  
Mr. and Mrs. Louis Graff, Miss  
Johanna Leinweber, Mrs. Marie  
Rothe, Mrs. Arthur Schlentz, Miss  
Elsie Schuehle, Messrs Alfred Brei-  
ten, Frederick Brotze, Hugo Brotze,  
Milton Heyen, Dan Miller, Joseph  
Palle, Robert Richter, Frederick  
Rothe, Gustav Rothe, Jacob Rothe,  
Louis Rothe, Chas. Schuehle, George  
Schuehle, Rollie Schuehle, Edgar  
Stiegler, Dr. O. B. Taylor.

H. A. HEINEKE,  
Pastor.

It will pay you to watch our club-  
bing rates. We can sometimes make  
you substantial savings on the sub-  
scription price of your papers and  
magazines and at the same time, by  
subscribing through this office, you  
can help us extend the circulation  
of Farming. In this way we both  
profit.

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DEVINE NEWSLETS.

Miss Margarite Schmidt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Schmidt, of Devine, graduated with a large class from Santa Rosa Nurses School, Thursday evening, May 12th, 1927. Several from Devine attended the exercises.

Report Lightning Kills Best Farm Mule.

Henry Crutchfield, a farmer living west of town, reports finding his best young work mule, dead after the storm, lying about 100 feet from a tree that was splintered from lightning. Mr. Crutchfield said the mule did not seem to have struggled a moment and must have been instantly killed by the stroke which tore up the tree.

From Yancey.

On Friday night of last week the Seniors of the High School rendered their class play entitled "Cyclone Sally", which was very much enjoyed by the audience. The following Sunday the Baccalaureate sermon was preached by Rev. Smith of San Antonio. There was a large crowd present; and during this week the pupils will be engaged in final examinations and school will be closed Friday with the Commencement exercises at 8:30 P. M.

Mr. Zimmerman, a representative of Hesusinger Hardware Co., of San Antonio was here on business Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wetz and children, accompanied by Mr. Allen Crain, were guests of Mrs. W. P. Crain's family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oreenith Fly attended church here Sunday night. Mr. Fly made a very interesting talk concerning the work of Lay Leadership and Wesley Brotherhood.

On Saturday we received the sad news of the death of Mrs. Louisa Tampke, nee Schweers, at Quihi. A good many of our people are related to the deceased and were present at the burial; and the floral offerings were beautiful.

Rev. E. L. Stewart, pastor of the Adventist congregation returned Saturday after a two week's absence in northwest Texas.

After a long spell of dry weather we had a real good shower of rain last Thursday, amounting to about one and one-half inch of rain. Corn was beginning to suffer badly, but at present the farmers have hopes of making a fair crop.

Misses Maudie and Winnie Hamill were week-end guests of Mrs. Kelly at Pearsall.

Mr. George Schumaker of Kerrville paid a short visit to his daughter, Miss Luella, last Friday returning home Saturday.

Miss Zollie Kelly, who teaches at Deer Creek, spent Sunday with Misses Maudie and Winnie Hamill.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Ward, Mrs. Ludie Ward and Mrs. Barney Moss were shopping in Hondo Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ward were guests of the family of Mr. B. C. Weimers at New Fountain Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Brown made a trip to San Antonio Thursday, returning the same day.

Mr. B. C. Harrell and family of San Antonio were here Sunday to be present at the sermon. Miss Evelyn Harrell is one of the graduates.

Mr. Franklin Harrel of Big Foot was in Yancey, on business Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Weimers are entertaining a new baby girl at their home.

From Biry.

Mr. Frank McCullom and son and daughter from Stanton are guests of their daughter and sister, Mrs. C. A. Henson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bilhartz and son, Ralph, spent Sunday at Hondo.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Posch and son and Miss Mary Posch attended the movies at Devine Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Winn and children from San Antonio were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Blackburn Thursday.

Misses Gladys Godden and Minnie Uens from Devine spent Sunday with Miss Gladys' father, Mr. C. C. Godden.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Moore and Mrs. Florence Love and daughters from Hondo were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Breiten.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymon Schott from Biomedina were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Rihn.

Mr. and Mrs. Mathis Koch and babe from D'Hanis were guests of Mrs. Koch's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bilhartz, for the week-end.

Messrs. John Watson and McCollum spent Saturday in Devine.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Love and Tiny Love from Devine spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Love.

Mr. and Mrs. Rollie Bless and sons from Hondo were guests of Mrs. Bless' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bilhartz, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Posch and son from here and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Jungman from Black Creek and Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Snider spent Sunday at Brackenridge Park.

Everybody seems to be happy over the nice rain we got last Thursday.

The Witherspoon well that blew in at 400 feet was still throwing the water Monday.

Mr. Albert Keller returned home from the Santa Rosa, where she spent several days with her sister-in-law, Miss Theresa Keller, who underwent a successful operation there about two weeks ago.

Mrs. Louis Rihn and Miss Tessie spent Saturday at Hondo.

STORM DOES DAMAGE IN DEVINE VICINITY.

DEVINE, Tex., May 25.—Considerable damage was done by a storm which struck one mile east of Devine at 10 o'clock Tuesday night. The home of Louis Schott was completely demolished. The family were saved from injury or probably death by taking refuge in their storm cellar. The home of George T. Briscoe, Jr., a modern country home which had just been completed, was greatly damaged; every window on the north and east of the dwelling was demolished, and damage to the interior was considerable. The garage was blown to splinters, the car was left but the top was demolished; a half-dozen head of stock were killed and several animals were injured. This family also took refuge in their storm cellar, which had just been completed.

The Bob Gossett house, another modern farm home, had three rooms on the north side badly damaged. The Kennington dairy farm house had the front porch torn away and a number of windows smashed, but no loss from the dairy herd.

The Coker farm house, now owned by C. H. Melton, a large two-story dwelling, was wrecked; a number of tenant houses on the various farms were damaged but there was no loss of life.

The terrific wind was accompanied by a severe hail storm, which ruined the corn just in the roasting-ear stage. The area visited by this storm was practically a mile in width. Slight damage was done in Devine; windows were blown out and trees were uprooted, but no hail fell in town; a 1.10-inch rain fell here within an hour; hailstones on the farms were still in drifts at a late hour Wednesday morning and some were estimated to have been as large as a man's fist when they fell.—Thursday's Express.

QUIHI NOTES.

At Bethlehem Lutheran church Sunday morning, Sunday School and Bible Class at 9 o'clock and divine service at 10 o'clock. All are cordially welcome at both the S. S. and the divine service.

Next Thursday afternoon, June 2, at 2 o'clock, the Lutheran Ladies' Aid Society will meet in the old church at Quihi. The hostesses of the day will be Mesdames Emil Graff, Paul Oefinger and Henry G. Boehle. All ladies who desire to join this society are cordially invited to come to this meeting.

Sunday, June 5th, is Pentecost or Pfingsten, on of the oldest and foremost holidays in the church. This sacred day should be observed by every Christian. At Bethlehem Lutheran church this day will be fittingly observed with divine service and the celebration of the Holy Communion at 10 o'clock in the forenoon and again at 8 o'clock at night with a divine service in the English tongue. All are invited to these services.

Last Sunday night the Quihi Luther League held a business meeting. After disposing of all business before the meeting, the following musical-literary program was announced to be given Sunday night, June 12th: Several selections by Messrs. Alfred Saathoff, Albert Eckhart, Misses Emma Nietenhoefer and Lizzie Hartmann; declamation by Miss Eileen Hartmann; musicals by Quihi Male Quartet led by Mr. Edwin Grell; instrumental by Miss Amanda Grell; vocal selections by Misses Emma Brucks and Margaret Reitzer.

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BANDERA BRIEFS.

Married at Mason.

Eugene Saathoff and Miss Alta Bratton were married at Mason last Sunday morning, Rev. Richards, pastor of the Methodist church at that place, officiating. The groom is the only son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Saathoff of East Verde, and the bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bratton of Katemcy. She taught the East Verde school last term. The happy couple will make their home on Timber Creek, where the groom has a good ranch property. The New Era joins their many friends in congratulations and best wishes for this worthy couple.

Pipe Line Will Touch Tarpley.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Norton, of Houston, were here this week in connection with the laying of the Humble Oil Company's pipe line through this county. The pipe line will not come nearer than fifteen miles of Bandera, as was at first reported, but it will pass through Tarpley and will traverse Bandera county for a distance of about twenty miles, entering Medina county a few miles below Tarpley. Ten and twelve inch piping will be used. This pipe line will be built from McCamey in Reagan county to a point on the coast near Corpus Christi, and will be over 400 miles in length. It is being built by the Humble Oil and Refining Co. for the purpose of carrying crude oil from the company's wells at McCamey to the refinery and shipping point on the coast. Construction crews have already arrived in Kerrville to begin work on the project.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hay, of Tuff, were in Monday on the way to Pipe Creek to visit their son-in-law, Leo Montel, who has been quite sick.—Bandera New Era.

NOTICE BOARD OF EQUALIZATION.

County Commissioners' Court of Medina County, Texas, sitting as a Board of Equalization.

The State of Texas—County of Medina.

In the County Commissioners' Court of Medina County, Texas.

I, S. A. Jungman, County Clerk and ex-officio clerk of the County Commissioners' Court of Medina County, Texas, do hereby give notice that the Honorable County Commissioners' Court of Medina County, Texas, will convene and sit as a Board of Equalization, commencing on the 30th day of May, A. D. 1927, at 9 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of receiving all the assessment lists or books of the Assessor of Taxes of Medina County, Texas, for inspection, correction or equalization and approval.

Witness my hand and the seal of the County Commissioners' Court of Medina County, Texas, this, the 12th day of May, A. D. 1927.

(L. S.) S. A. JUNGMAN, County Clerk and Ex-Officio Clerk, County Commissioners' Court of Medina County, Texas.

AT THE METHODIST CHURCH.

Sunday School ..... 9:45 A. M.

Preaching ..... 11:00 A. M.

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper at morning service each first Sunday.

Epworth League ..... 6:15 P. M.

Preaching ..... 7:15 P. M.

Missionary Society, First and Third Mondays..... 3:00 P. M.

Philathea Class, Second and Fourth Tuesdays..... 3:00 P. M.

Prayer-Meeting, Wednesday each week..... 7:15 P. M.

An invitation is cordially extended to every one to attend these services. "Come thou with us, and we will do thee good."—Numbers 10:29.

W. S. EZELL, Pastor.

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GROWING WILLOWS FOR FIREWOOD.

By Herbert C. Klatt.

Wood is becoming harder and harder to get in many regions where it has always been almost universally used as fuel so it has become necessary for many farmers to make some special arrangements for getting their wood or to begin to grow their own. Every farmer who does not have his own woodland should of course begin tree culture if in any manner possible. But it is of course practically impossible to attempt to grow wood, on unwooded land, using the kinds that are now the most popular varieties for firewood, such as the different kinds of oak. It takes too long for these to grow to a size that can be used. So it is imperative that only varieties that grow quickly be used even though these may not be as good wood as the slow growing varieties.

The willow may be listed near the head of easily grown, quick growing trees. The wood is not of the best but while it cannot be used for posts and similar purposes it makes a fairly good firewood. For use in the cook stove there is nothing better than dry willow especially during the canning season because it gives a quick heat that does not heat up the room unduly as some other varieties of wood will. When half dry it makes a fairly good wood for use in the heater or fireplace. But what it lacks in quality willow makes up in its sure and quick growth and the ease with which it can be cut down and cut up when green. The limbs with all the twigs can be hauled to the wood pile and used for kindling when it becomes dry. There need be no brush waste of willow because the "brush" is so easy to handle.

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## TYPHOID FEVER AND ITS PREVENTION.

By J. C. Anderson, M. D., State Health Officer.

Typhoid fever is one of the many diseases that medical science has made it possible to prevent, and the general application of this knowledge would mean its ultimate extermination. While the last few years have shown substantial decreases of the typhoid rate in this state, this being due largely to improved methods of sanitation and the large increase of safe water supplies, there still exists the fact that there is no excuse for ANYONE in this age having typhoid, and shows that increased efforts must be made to conquer this enemy to health.

The prevalence of typhoid fever is an excellent index to the sanitary conditions of any community, as typhoid is a fifth-borne disease that is communicated from one person to another by germs from the excreta of an infected person reaching the mouth of a well person. These germs may be distributed through the medium of drinking water, milk, raw foods, flies, fingers, and by bathing in pools or streams of polluted water. PRIMARILY A RURAL DISEASE.

Typhoid fever is fast becoming primarily a disease of rural communities, this being due to the lack of advantages of improved sanitation, such as sanitary sewer systems and safe water supplies. The insanitary, open-back closet so commonly found on farm premises, is a potential typhoid menace, and should be replaced by chemical closets or sanitary pit privies, plans for which may be had free of cost by writing your state health department.

In rural communities, special attention should be given to the water supply, inasmuch as water in shallow wells oftentimes becomes contaminated through seepage of surface water containing disease producing germs. Wells should never be located nearer than 300 yards of any privy or cess pool, and should preferably be on higher ground, so that drainage may be away from the well and not toward it. Wells should also have the upper curbing for several feet made of concrete or other impervious material, and should have a tight fitting cover to prevent the entrance of dirt and trash. Wells in limestone soils are more easily polluted by surface water than those in more compact soils.

### FLIES.

Flies are found in both rural and urban districts, and as they are the dirtiest of insects, and carriers of typhoid germs as well as the germs of other diseases, they should be screened out of every home and public building, and exterminated wherever found. Swat the flies on their arrival, and keep up the good work in order that their dirty feet and legs, which have just trailed over human and barnyard excreta or other filth may be kept from leaving their path of germs and dirt over your food, your dishes, your baby's hands and face, and its milk bottle.

### MILK.

Typhoid epidemics have at various times been found to follow the trail of the insanitary milk dealer, and for this reason, the state department has recommended for adoption by municipalities the standard milk ordinance of the United States Public Health Service. This ordinance provides for tuberculin tested cows, sanitary barns and milk utensils, sanitary handling of milk products, and health certificates for dairy employees. It also provides for the grading of milk supplies, so that the consumer may know the grade of milk purchased. As dirty milk may often be the cause of typhoid fever or other intestinal trouble, care should be taken to ascertain the sanitary conditions under which your milk supply is produced. If your town has the standard milk ordinance, you can be confident of the safety of a Grade A milk. Anyone interested in safe milk supplies, should write to the state health department for further information.

The summer season with its rush of pleasure seekers to summer camps and river banks, will soon be here, and in order that such trips may not result in serious health impairment, care should be taken to use water only from safe supplies. If at all in doubt as to the quality of water, always boil it before using. A good plan is to carry drinking water with you which has been obtained from an approved municipal water supply.

The city health department of Fort Worth has announced that it will supply all local people going on "outings" with chlorine tablets that may be used in drinking water to destroy disease producing germs. Other city health departments will probably follow this good example, and information in regard to this can be secured from your local health officer.

### VACCINATION.

Even proper sanitary surroundings do not always entirely eliminate the typhoid danger, but there is one sure

immunity against this disease, and that is VACCINATION. The value of this prophylactic vaccine was fully demonstrated during the World War, as out of the 4,000,000 American soldiers given this vaccine, only 2,000 cases resulted. This is quite a contrast to the French Army, which during the first two years of this war, had some 200,000 cases of typhoid, this being before the general application of this prophylactic measure. The state-wide clean-up campaign has resulted in general improved sanitary conditions throughout the state. This will materially reduce the typhoid hazard, and with the cooperation of the citizens of the state, this disease may be kept at a minimum. Observe necessary precautions in the prevention of this disease, and if you want the best safe-guard known to medical science, go to your family physician for vaccination.

## THE PROPER SPACING FOR COTTON PLANTS.

By A. D. Jackson.

The proper distance to space cotton plants for largest yields has been a live question for years. Articles frequently appear in the press advocating close spacing and late thinning as means of increasing cotton yields, but in too many instances the meaning of close spacing is not clear. Close spacing to one person may not mean close spacing at all to another. The Texas Agricultural Experiment Station has been for 12 years conducting spacing experiments with cotton at the Main Station, College Station and at the substations at Beeville, Troup, Angleton, Temple, Spur, Lubbock, Pecos, Nacogdoches and Chillicothe.

These experiments include tests of spacing from 3 to 36 inches at 3-inch intervals. Practically all sorts of weather conditions have prevailed at each of these points during the history of these experiments and some very interesting conclusions have been drawn regarding the effect of the different rates of spacing. The results have been analyzed from the standpoint of the best present-day methods and present a truly reliable basis for the proper spacing of cotton in practically every important cotton region of Texas so as to give maximum yields. While a few more or less wide variations appear in the yields from time to time it has been possible to point rather definitely to the range of spacing that is safest in each locality. These are shown in detail in Bulletin No. 340 which has just been published by the Station and which can be had free as long as the supply lasts, by writing to A. B. Conner, Acting Director, College Station.

Dr. E. W. Allen, Chief of the Office of Experiment Stations of the United States Department of Agriculture, says: "This seems to be a very thorough and careful piece of work in which advance methods, including statistical analysis, have been employed. The fact that it is based on experiments at your main station and nine other places gives unusual breadth to the investigation and shows the relationships under different conditions. It is this type of thorough study which makes for advance in our understanding of such matters as this having close practical applications." Dr. C. A. Mooers, Director of the Tennessee Experiment Station classes the bulletin as "The best of its kind that I have seen. I am glad to say that your conclusions do not differ materially from those reached by me in work done chiefly at the West Tennessee Experiment Station. I have always thought that the very close spacing of cotton, so widely recommended for general use in the last few years, was not justified by experimental data". Other experiment station officials in the cotton belt have noted the wide range of these experiments and the fact that in no other single state could be found so wide a range of climatic and soil conditions as to enable such comprehensive work on cotton spacing.

In general, the bulletin concludes that the cotton plant has the ability to adjust itself to produce satisfactory yields within a comparatively wide range of spacing and that the highest yields have resulted from the close to medium spacing, 6 to 21 inches in the different parts of the state, except in Eastern Texas on the sandy lands where comparatively wide spacing, 27 to 36 inches gave the best results. Twelve inches was found to be the best spacing at Angleton, Lubbock and Spur; 9 to 12 inches at College Station; 21 inches at Beeville and Temple; 27 inches at Nacogdoches; and 30 inches at Troup and Chillicothe.

The experiments include early, medium and late thinning and the results secured showed the cotton thinned at the usual time when the fourth and sixth leaves are forming, produces larger yields than that which was thinned late.

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Some of these insects are not fussy about their diet. They will devour almost any of the vegetables. Of this type are cutworms, plant-lice, flea-beetles. But the leafhopper flies chiefly upon potatoes, tomatoes, strawberries and beans. A nicotine sulphate or dust will control this pest and also plant-lice.

Favorite foods of the flea-beetle are radishes, cabbages, turnips, tomatoes, potatoes, and eggplants. This pest usually feeds on the under side of the leaves and can best be destroyed with nicotine dust or Bordeaux mixture. About the only way to check the depredations of these bandits, the cutworm and the grasshoppers, is with a poisoned bran mash.

Asparagus has a beetle of its own. Spraying from both sides with lead arsenate will put a quietus upon this red, black and yellow feeder; also upon the Colorado potato beetle, the tortoise beetle which attacks the sweet potato, the hornworm and fruitworm, which are the tomato's chief foes, and the worst enemies of the plebeian but necessary cabbage—The cabbage worm and cabbage loopers. There is also the harlequin cabbage bug, against which a nicotine spray is the best weapon.

### TO MY PATRONS.

I will attend a post graduate course at the Northwestern University Dental School of Chicago during the month of June. Accordingly my office will be closed from June 1st to July 5th. Should there be anything requiring immediate attention, see me before June 1st.

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## NOTICE BY PUBLICATION.

No. 1032

In the matter of the Guardianship of the Estate of John Martin, a minor.

In the County Court of Medina County, Texas.

Notice is hereby given that I, Andrew W. Martin, Guardian of the estate of John Martin, a minor, have this day filed my application in the above entitled and numbered cause for an order of the County Judge of Medina County, Texas, authorizing me as the guardian of the estate of said ward to make a mineral lease upon such terms as the court may order and direct of the following described real estate, situated in Medina County, Texas to-wit:

The undivided interest of John Martin in and to 500 acres of land of Survey No. 746, in the name of Pablo Mancho, being all of the following described tract of land except 100 acres out of the S. E. corner thereof which was excluded from the deed of Wm. Henry Fox to Alfred Nester, to-wit:

Beginning at a stake, the S. W. corner of the Pablo Mancho Survey from which a mesquite 6 in. in dia. hrs. S. 87 W. 19 vrs., old bearing, a mesquite 6 in. in dia. hrs. S. 20 W. 15 vrs., the last one now gone; thence East 2280 vrs. with South line of said Pablo Mancho Survey to a stake; thence North 1485 1/2 vrs. to a stake; thence West 2290 vrs. to the S. E. corner of Survey No. 787, J. H. Mason; thence South with West line of Survey No. 786, Pablo Mancho, 1500 vrs. to the place of beginning.

Said application will be heard by the County Judge at the Court House in the Town of Hondo, Texas, on the 6th day of June A. D. 1927. This the 26th day of May A. D. 1927.

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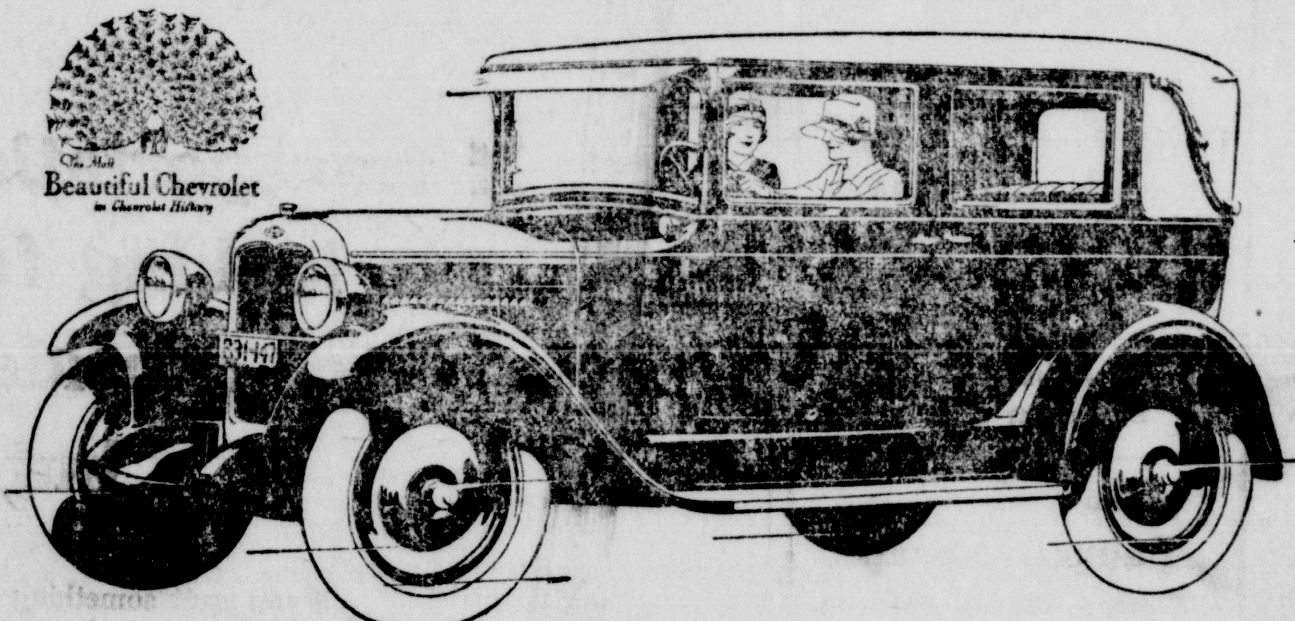


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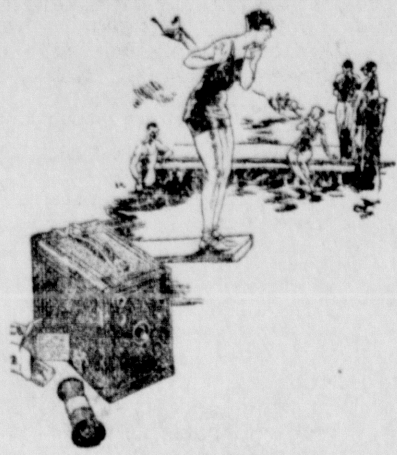
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W. D. Bohmfalk is a late addition to our corps of readers.

Louis R. Neumann was a business caller at this office Saturday.

Bring your work to Medina Motor Co. All work guaranteed. Phone 23.

Ben De Grodt was down from the ranch Tuesday and paid our office a business call while here.

Mr. J. G. Newton and daughters, Misses Lucille and Marguerite, were San Antonio visitors Friday.

Miss Dee Crow is back from Blauquette where she has been teaching school for the last few months.

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Mrs. C. W. Schweers, of San Antonio, visited with relatives here the past week.

Rev. James Marsollier was here from LaCoste Monday, and while here paid our office a business call.

For Rent—The Irwin Frerichs house; five rooms and bath, all furnished. Inquire at C. J. Bless Store.

THE BAPTIST EVANGELISTIC CAMPAIGN BEGINS JUNE 12TH. PLAN TO ATTEND REGULARLY.

Next Thursday, Friday and Saturday, June 2nd, 3rd and 4th, original Rexall Once Cent Sale at Fly Drug Co.

For Sale—A 20-acre tract, suitable for building sites located in the southeastern part of town. Apply to this office.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Greschel were out from San Antonio Sunday visiting Mrs. Greschel's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John S. Koch.

Dr. and Mrs. Norvell Graham and baby of Oklahoma City were here the first of the week visiting Mrs. Graham's aunt, Mrs. L. E. Heath.

A Durham Duplex Razor with one blade for 10 cents. All kinds of razors in stock at a big discount. The Quality House. C. R. Gaines.

F. Marion Davis arrived home Wednesday for a few day's rest between the finishing of class work and the closing exercises at A. & M. College. He expects to return today.

The party or parties who borrowed six folding tables from the American Legion Club room are requested to return the same at once without further delay. Hal Jones Post, American Legion.

A rainfall of .28 of an inch fell here Tuesday night. Considerable wind and lightning accompanied it, but no damage resulted locally. Northeast of us the rain was much better while southeast, near Devine, the storm was much worse.

Jack Fusselman accompanied a car load shipment of fat calves to New Orleans last week. Mr. Fusselman received a good price for his stock and made the trip without serious delay, but he was glad to get back to where there is more land and less water. He says the water in the Mississippi river at New Orleans is fully fifteen feet above the level of the streets and is being held in by the massive levees at that place. Even this has been made possible only by cutting the levees above and below the city, thus relieving the pressure of the surging torrents.

Mrs. W. H. Taylor left Sunday for San Antonio to spend a while with her son, G. C. Taylor, and family. From there she will visit other members of her family before returning to Hondo later in the summer.

After a pleasant visit to relatives here Miss Mildred Taylor returned to her home in San Antonio Tuesday. She was accompanied home by her cousin, Miss Rhoda Mae Taylor, who will visit her for a while.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hurley of Beaumont arrived here Thursday from Beaumont and are the guests of Mrs. Hurley's mother, Mrs. Geo. Cameron.

A Durham Duplex Razor with one blade for 10 cents. All kinds of razors in stock at a big discount. The Quality House. C. R. Gaines.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Cameron and daughter, Dwyce, were San Antonio visitors the latter part of last week.

Kelly-Springfield tires and tubes, gasoline, oils and accessories, Medina Motor Co. Phone 23.

### HONDO PEOPLE WIN HONORS.

Hondo people are especially interested this year in the graduating exercises at the Dallas Medical Branch of Baylor University.

Among the graduates in medicine, we note the name of Alvis August Koch, a Hondo boy. Dr. Koch is a son of Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Koch and graduated from Hondo High School in the class of 1919. From college, he will go to an internship at the St. Joseph's Infirmary at Ft. Worth.

Henry Zach Windrow, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Windrow, and a graduate of Hondo High School in the class of 1922, graduates in the class of pharmacy.

Another graduate of the school of pharmacy in whom Hondo is interested is Mr. Floyd James Griffin. Mr. Griffin married a Hondo girl, Miss Lurene Decker, several months ago and they have been making their home in Dallas since, while Mr. Griffin completed his education.

### BOBBY WARREN COMING.

Lovers of clean entertaining amusement and clever acting who remember the Bobby Warren Stock Company Shows which appeared here some two years ago, will be pleased to learn that the company is coming back for another three day engagement beginning next Monday, May 30th.

As an especial inducement all ladies will be admitted free Monday night.

If you enjoy a good show you can not afford to miss the Bobby Warren Company next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday nights at the popular price of 10c and 30c.

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Matinee Saturday's at 3:00 P. M.  
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Attend The Matinee.

### LADIES FORTY-TWO ENTERTAIN

One of the prettiest parties of the early summer was the "going away" party given by the Ladies Forty-Two Club in honor of Mrs. C. D. Eddelman, who left Thursday for the Philippines.

A miniature fleet was afloat on a table in the center. Around this were grouped the tallies in green and yellow with sail boats riding the high seas, and then around these the "84" favors, orange charms, were placed.

After several games of forty-two, Mrs. Oscar Miller presented the honoree with a "P. G." from the Club, a bridge set in green leather case.

Refreshments of apricot salad, potato chips, chicken sandwiches and spiced tea with plate favors of daisies were served to the following: Mesdames L. E. Heath, L. J. Brucks, O. H. Miller, Felix Richter, Earl Boon, Laura Welhausen, R. W. Speece, Felix Batot, Ed. Cameron, Aug. Schroeder; Misses Bess and Lillian Brucks, Dutz Davis, Lucille de Montel, Winnie Phillips, Lena Stone and the honoree, Mrs. C. D. Eddelman.

### MEDINA GASSER AGAIN RUNS WILD.

Witehrspoon's No. 2 Nixon on survey 119 in Medina County southwest of the Adams field that came in running wild and was closed in the first of this week broke out again Wednesday a short distance from the derrick. It was closed in the first instance by setting 10-inch casing and cementing. As a result of the well breaking out Wednesday it was necessary to open the valves again because of danger of it cratering.

Both of the company's crews in Medina county are working on the well and an attempt is being made to get into it with drill stem and ram out the hole so as to run in 6-inch casing to the bottom of the hole. The well is making water with the gas which makes it difficult to work with.—Friday's Express.

### WHAT C. M. T. C. BOYS LEARN.

Firemen cause no fires. Nurses and doctors cause no diseases. Armies foment no wars. C. M. T. Camps make no rowdies or swash-bucklers.

We want our young men to fight the battles of Life with full knowledge of how to live. How to take care of their personal health and to be as able to command as to obey. To be true citizens.

C. M. T. C. boys learn the right dignity and value of plain American citizenship and the value to civilization of that wonderful document, the Constitution of the United States, the principles of which every loyal citizen of this great nation is bound to uphold.

### HAVE YOU ANY FLOWERS?

Parties who have flowers they wish to donate for the purpose of decorating the graves of our soldier dead are asked to kindly have them at the American Legion Hall by 9:30 o'clock A. M. Memorial Day, Monday, May 30th.

If you have any flowers be generous with them for this beautiful cause.

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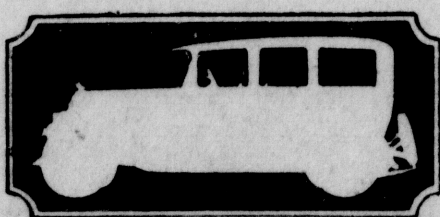
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received by the students at home and  
in school.

### NOTICE, ADVERTISERS AND CONTRIBUTORS.

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Friday. We have to do this to get  
the paper into the mails on time.  
You will greatly assist us by getting  
your copy in at the earliest possible  
moment. By all means, have it in  
our hands not later than Thursday  
afternoon. By taking due notice of  
this and acting accordingly you will  
confer a great favor on us and avoid  
disappointment for yourself.

The Publisher.

### CARD OF THANKS.

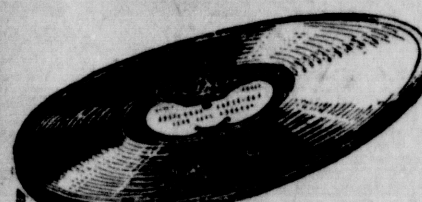
We take this means of expressing  
our thanks to one and all for the  
kindness extended to us and to our  
dear mother, the late Mrs. Mary  
Haegelein, during her last illness, for  
the kind expressions of sympathy and  
for the beautiful floral offerings at  
the funeral.

Gratefully and sincerely,  
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### EXPERIMENTAL WORK IN BEE- KEEPING—THE STATE APO- CULTURAL RESEARCH LABORATORY.

By H. E. Coffey, Manager, The  
Coffey Apiaries.

Perhaps not many readers of  
Farming know that the Texas Agri-  
cultural Experiment Station has a  
branch—the State Apicultural Labora-  
tory—devoted entirely to experi-  
mental work in beekeeping. This  
"Beekeeping Experiment Station",  
it might be called, is located about  
twelve miles southeast of San An-  
tonio. Mr. H. B. Parks, Apiculturist  
in charge, and Mr. A. H. Alex, Queen  
Breeder, are both practical beekeep-  
ers of much experience as well as  
scientists and well qualified for carry-  
ing on the work under their charge.  
Each of these men holds the degree  
of B. S.

Those who have made a study of  
beekeeping realize that it is only  
through careful experiments in queen  
rearing that bees themselves can be  
improved. Therefore, the major  
project of the Laboratory has been  
concerned with queen rearing. Both  
line breeding and cross breeding are  
being tried. When I visited the  
Laboratory in the early spring Mr.  
Parks told me that although they  
had tried strains of bees from many  
different breeders yet they failed to  
find any equal to the native bees  
which were in the vicinity of San  
Antonio when the station was estab-  
lished. The Laboratory strain of  
Italians have been selected and bred  
up from acclimated bees long native  
to this section. Mr. Parks along with  
others is coming to believe that bees  
as well as plants and animals need  
to be acclimated and that the great-  
est improvement can be accomplished  
by securing breeding queens from  
regions of the same longitude.

For experimental purposes the  
Laboratory sends out each year hun-  
dreds of mated queens. The shipping  
date for this month is May 12th.  
Those desiring to secure queens from  
the Laboratory should write to The  
State Apicultural Laboratory, Route  
E, Box 368, San Antonio. Should  
you desire at any time to visit the  
station, which would be time well  
spent if you are interested in bee-  
keeping, it would be well to ask for  
directions for reaching it. These  
will be furnished free.

This little Experiment Station al-  
though now in its beginning promises  
some day to be the beekeepers' Mecca  
for all the states of the great  
Southwest. Mr. E. Guy LeStourgeon,  
of San Antonio, a former mem-  
ber of the State Legislature and one  
who has done more perhaps than  
any other man for Texas beekeeping  
along legislative lines, took the ini-  
tial step toward making the Labora-  
tory a place of pilgrimage for bee-  
keepers when he donated to the  
Station the nucleus of what is the  
only beekeepers library in the South.  
With liberal donations now coming  
in from all parts of America and  
even Europe and other parts of the  
world the library is growing rapidly.  
Some of the volumes now possessed  
by this library are rare indeed and  
could be sold for large sums. The  
library is yet in an unfinished state  
but when finances are forthcoming  
whereby it can be arranged as Mr.  
Parks intends it shall be, it will be  
a most attractive place to visit.

On the Laboratory grounds are be-  
ing grown honey producing plants  
from many parts of the United  
States. There are four or five dif-  
ferent varieties of horsemint; a  
hedge of white brush; huajilla which  
some said would not grow there; two  
varieties of sweet clover; California  
sages as well as many other plants  
which I will not take space to enu-  
merate. A careful check on the nec-  
tar yield of different plants on which  
the bees work is kept by means of  
sensitive scales which record the  
slightest variation in the weight of  
the scale colony. It has been found  
that cotton yields some in the vicinity  
of the laboratory. Mesquite  
yields when there is an absence of  
moisture in the subsoil but at other  
times it is a failure. White brush  
blooms after each rain and produces  
some nectar but the period over  
which it yields is so short that very  
little surplus is ever secured from it.

Mr. Parks, whom I have already  
mentioned as being in charge of the  
Laboratory, is also secretary of the  
State Beekeepers' Association and is  
active in assisting beekeepers in co-  
operative movements or organized  
movements of every kind. He is at  
present aiding in the formation of  
a State Queen Breeders Association  
which will be of material help to  
both the producers and purchasers  
of queens and package bees. He,  
of course, receives no salary for any  
such special service. Among the  
valuable press contributions written  
by Mr. Parks during the past year  
the beekeeper will find the following

of special interest: "Notes on Honey  
Plants"; "Bee Behavior in Swarm  
Control"; "The Summer Quiescent  
Period" and "Winter Stores".

### MAKING GOOD BUTTER ON THE FARM.

By V. M. Couch.

Making good butter is not confined  
to those who have ideal cooling con-  
ditions, as many suppose. It is some-  
times the case that poor butter is  
made where the best of facilities are  
at hand. Haphazard methods of  
making butter never produced an  
article of good quality.

In making a first class article of  
butter there is no one condition of  
more importance than cleanliness.  
This not only means that the milk  
and cream should be kept clean, but  
also that bad odors should be avoid-  
ed from the time the milk is drawn  
until the manufacturing process is  
completed. Milk and all dairy prod-  
ucts absorb odors very readily, even  
odors that would hardly be noticed  
ordinarily. In summer this objec-  
tionable odor is more prevalent than  
in winter, and milking in the open  
on the cool of morning and evening  
prevents contamination of the fresh  
milk, if the udders are clean. Flies  
are usually less bothersome at this  
time.

The clean separator has accom-  
plished great things for the dairy-  
man. It reduces the labor of caring  
for milk by at least two thirds. There  
is quite an advantage to be had by  
separating the milk while warm and  
cooling the cream quickly. At no  
time should flies come in contact  
with the milk or cream, or the uten-  
sils in which it is handled. The  
house fly is a disease germ agent,  
and if it lights for only a few seconds  
it is most sure to leave some filth,  
for the fly lives and thrives in and  
around strong odors and unsanitary  
places. Conditions are made un-  
desirable for flies by the use of hot  
water and the scrub brush.

Milk should be handled so that  
none of it will be spilled, for it is  
difficult to remove from wood, even  
when freshly spilled. Wooden buck-  
ets are undesirable and went out  
of use with practical dairymen long  
ago. Galvanized iron, copper and  
zinc for table and bench tops and  
concrete floor in the milk room aid  
greatly in keeping the place sanitary.  
After washing with hot water the  
hose may be turned on the inside of  
the room, thus cooling and washing  
away dust, etc.

Sunlight is a wonderful destroyer  
of disease germs, but it is imprac-  
ticable to have it where milk, cream  
and butter are kept in the summer.  
All pails, cans and separator parts,  
however, should be placed where the  
direct rays of the sun will strike  
them. Nothing will sweeten and pur-  
ify a milk house better than sunshine  
and good ventilation, but the sun  
warms up the room and therefore is  
not practicable at all times.

Good butter, other conditions be-  
ing favorable, is a product of well  
ripened cream. It is important that  
the cream be kept at as even a tem-  
perature as possible. It need not be  
a low temperature, but should not  
rise above 70 degrees, and 60 degrees  
is better. At the latter degree it  
may be kept several days, adding  
each days skimmings until 24 hours  
before churning time, when the fresh  
cream should be put into another  
jar. Cream ripens automatically  
when kept under these conditions in  
summer.

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value to Texas beekeepers has been  
assembled at the Texas State Agri-  
cultural Laboratory, branch of the  
Texas Agricultural Experiment Sta-  
tion, 11 miles southeast of San An-  
tonio on the Hildebrand Road. The  
collection of books at present is said  
to be the fourth largest such collec-  
tion in the country. Mr. H. B. Parks,  
in charge of the Apicultural Labora-  
tory, has provided new metal fire-  
proof book stacks and has assigned  
suitable space in the large two-story  
building at the Laboratory and has  
arranged the books conveniently.  
No books have as yet been purchased  
for this library, the entire collection  
being voluntary donations as a result  
of publicity given mainly by the  
Beekeepers Item.

Donations of books have come not  
only from this State, but from other  
states as well as from Europe. A  
recent addition consists of 134 bound  
volumes. Those having books or  
magazines not in use but suitable  
for an apicultural library have been  
invited to donate them to this collec-  
tion which is to be preserved and  
kept accessible to the public. As  
these volumes are received a book  
plate giving the name and photograph  
of the donor is placed in every  
volume. Mr. Parks has expressed  
the hope that in time some arrange-  
ment can be made to loan these books  
by mail.—A. D. Jackson.

### OUR FAVORITE CROP FOR FIRST YEAR GROUND.

By Mrs. Irvin Pickle.

We live in a timbered country and  
have found it difficult to get a good  
yield of most varieties of farm crops  
from new ground on account of there  
being so much to share plant food  
and moisture with the growing crops.

After several failures with other  
crops we have found cow peas to be  
an ideal crop. They require little  
moisture, feed principally on nitro-  
gen and by the time one or two culti-  
vations are given, the vines complet-  
ly cover the ground. Evaporation  
of capillary moisture is retarded,  
bushes are crowded out and stumps  
and roots rotted.

A spring tooth harrow is the only  
implement used on the ground except  
the planter. As soon as the ground  
is cleared of the timber it is gone  
over with the harrow drawn by two  
mules. As soon as bushes appear  
it is gone over again but at right  
angles to the first harrowing. The  
harrow springs over the low stumps  
and roots and gets the bushes. It  
also puts the ground in good tilth  
without tearing the roots out of the  
ground and leaving them in the way.  
The next time the bushes appear the  
harrowing is done diagonally across  
the plot of ground. This harrowing  
is kept up at intervals until about  
May 15th, then the rows are laid off  
3 feet apart with the harrow, using  
only three teeth. When the peas  
are up they are given two cultivations  
with the harrow.

This method of handling first year  
ground rarely, if ever, fails to pro-  
duce a good crop of peas which can  
be profitably used for hay or hogged  
down. We sometimes pick most of

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Admission to Dance  
Gents, 50c; Ladies, 25c.

the peas, then pasture the residue.  
We have found that new ground  
handled in this way the first year will  
produce from 25 to 50% more cot-  
ton or corn the next year than it  
will when planted to some other crop  
other than peas.

We have tried several varieties of  
peas for this purpose but have found  
the Whip-poor-will to be the best.  
There is always a ready market in  
the spring for what we pick and put  
up for seed. The seed sometimes sell  
here in the spring for as much as \$5  
a bushel.

For American agriculture to plan  
her future building on the foundation  
of an expected revival and growth  
of the European market would mean  
building on quicksand.—E. G. Nourse.

In 1923, American farmers earned  
approximately 3.3 per cent on their  
investment, while corporations earned  
an average of 11 per cent. Why  
shouldn't the farmers howl?—Louis  
H. Bean in The Nation.

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# Our Castroville Page

## Local, Personal and Business Items from This Busy Burg

CASTROVILLE, TEXAS, FRIDAY, MAY 27, 1927.

ED. HUEHNER, Local Representative

News or business matter for this page for the week's issue should be submitted to Mr. Huehner or mailed direct to us at Hondo not later than Wednesday night of each week.

Rev. Water Kralik was a San Antonio business visitor last Tuesday.

Justice Court was grinding here for awhile Saturday.

Hon. D. C. Brown of Devine, our popular County Attorney, was in our midst on legal business Saturday.

A dance given at the Wernette Hall was well attended and much enjoyed. Music was furnished by the Groff Bros. String Band.

Mrs. John B. Ahr and Peter Groff of San Antonio visited relatives and friends in our midst Sunday.

Quite a number of relatives and friends from here and vicinity attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Alexander Haegelin at Hondo Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Haegelin was born at Castroville and counts her friends by scores here. May she rest in peace.

Mrs. E. F. Bippert, of Sauz, is reported on the sicklist, as is also Mr.

Aug Weber of lower Medina.

Mrs. Ed. Hans and daughter, Miss Theresa, were San Antonio visitors one day the past week.

### Wedding Bells.

Mr. Sylvie Haby, of Red Wing, and Miss Henrietta Boehme, of Rio Medina, were happily united in the holy bonds of matrimony at St. Louis Catholic Church Wednesday morning, May 18, 1927. Rev. Father Heckman performing the Nuptial Ceremony. The attendants were Mr. Robert Boehme and Miss Irene Haby. After the ceremony, the bridal party and invited guests repaired to the hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Boehme, where a sumptuous wedding breakfast was partaken, whereupon the newlyweds left on a bridal trip to Galveston. We join the many friends of the happy young couple in wishing them a long, a happy and a prosperous married life.

### Bunco.

Sunday night, May 15, 1927, the Bunco members enjoyed 25 games of Bunco at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Rieber. Prizes were awarded to the following:

Mrs. F. G. Muennink made high and Mrs. W. Brown made low, while the gent's high score fell to Mr. Ferdie Koch and low to Mr. Frank Surovik. Consolation prize was awarded to Mr. W. Brown.

At the close of the games, chili con carne and bread, ice tea and 3 different kinds of cake were served at tables. The following were present: Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Tondre, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Carle, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. W. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Muennink, Mr. and Mrs. Ferdie Koch, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Surovik and Mr. and Mrs. John Rieber.

### Picnic.

Sunday, May 8, 1927, the Bunco members and a few invited guests enjoyed a basket picnic a few miles southwest of town. Mr. F. G. Muennink presented the members with a fine barbecued goat which was barbecued by Mr. Muennink himself. It could not have been barbecued finer by anyone else. The ladies furnished the cakes, pies, and salads of different kinds, while the gents did their part in furnishing bread, pickles and ice for tea. At 12 o'clock the dinner was spread under the large shady trees where the rest of the evening was spent.

The following were present: Mr. and Mrs. Louis Ernst and children, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Carle and children, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Surovik, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Brod, Mr. and Mrs. Will Ziegenbalg and children, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Tondre and children, Mr. and Mrs. Ferdie Koch and children, Mr. and Mrs. John Rieber and children, Mr. and Mrs. W. Brown and children, and Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Muennink and daughter, Georgia Mae.

Mrs. P. M. Koch, Sr., is spending a few weeks in San Antonio with friends.

Mr. Phil Koch and sister, Mrs. Wm. Holliday, and son, Wilbert, and daughter, Kathryn, were the guests of Paul Koch and family at LaCoste Thursday.

Mr. P. M. Koch, Sr., had the misfortune to fall and break a rib Friday evening.

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## IACOSTE LEDGERETS

From The LaCoste Ledger.

Henry Tondre and son, George, from Delta were LaCoste visitors Tuesday.

Fritz W. Etter and son from the Sauz were LaCoste visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Zeinert of Macdona were LaCoste visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. Rachel Koontz was a San Antonio visitor Saturday.

George Christilles was a San Antonio visitor Tuesday.

Wilfred Biediger was a San Antonio visitor Monday.

Messrs. George Echtle and Judge Louis Biediger were business visitors in San Antonio Tuesday.

Mrs. Frank Keller and son, Herbert, were San Antonio visitors Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Louis Biediger and Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Hutzler were San Antonio visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. E. T. Trip and daughter, Miss Julia, of Macdona spent Sunday with Mrs. Rachel Koontz here.

Paul Jungman and family took a pleasure trip to Landa's Park at New Braunfels Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Christilles were visiting in San Antonio Sunday.

Mrs. Alvin Droicourt visited with her grandmother, Mrs. J. C. Trip, at Macdona Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Eva Hawkes spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Dunn at Schulenburg.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Christilles and daughter spent Sunday in San Antonio with Frank Keller and family.

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Christilles and children were San Antonio visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hawkes and children from Noonan were LaCoste visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kunze and family and Miss Lena Geiger were Devine visitors last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Biediger and sons were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Emil Nehr and family at D'Hanis Sunday.

Misses Ruth Lawler and Edna Etter from Castroville were LaCoste visitors Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Stein from Cliff were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Biediger here last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Zuercher of Castroville were LaCoste visitors Tuesday.

Joe Lieber from Castroville spent last Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Biediger here.

Mrs. Hildegard Franger of San Antonio was visiting homefolks here Sunday.

Mrs. Joe Hutzler and Mrs. Bernard Rihn and children were visitors here Tuesday.

Elmer Haller and little sister, Frances, of Devine were LaCoste visitors Tuesday and Wednesday.

Miss Reba Reichert and Oswald Keller were San Antonio visitors last Friday.

Mrs. Joe Tondre and children of Castroville were LaCoste visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Rihn and sons from Castroville were visiting relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Zuercher and sons were visiting M. A. Mechler and family at the Sauz Sunday evening.

Henry Mechler and family from the Sauz were LaCoste visitors last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Zuercher and sons were San Antonio visitors Sunday.

Mrs. Theodore Trip of Macdona spent last Thursday with Mrs. Julius Ahr and son.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Hitzfelder and Mrs. Emelie Hitzfelder were San Antonio visitors last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Hutzler from Medina Lake were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Louis Biediger here Monday.

Henry Haegelin and family from above Rio Medina were visiting Joe

Adams and family here Monday.

Mrs. F. S. Dunn of Schulenburg is spending the week here with homefolks.

Misses Hildegard and Ophelia Biediger from Dunlay were LaCoste visitors Monday.

Messrs. Joe and Frank Keller and Louis Biediger attended the K. C. of A. Meeting at Castroville Tuesday evening.

Misses Lorine and Alma Zinsmeyer and brother, Leo, from Divot were visiting relatives and friends here last week-end.

Mrs. Lee Bush and daughters, Misses Rosie, Irma and Bernice, spent several days with L. A. Haller and family at Devine.

Mrs. Wm. Burell and daughters from above Castroville were visiting Wm. Jungman and family here the first part of the week.

Mesdames Catherine and Theresa Jungman were visiting Wm. Bohl and family and Anton Bohl Sunday evening.

Mrs. Joe Droicourt and daughter, Miss Annetta, from here and Mrs. Theodore Trip from Macdona were San Antonio visitors last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Mechler and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mechler from the Sauz attended the dance at Macdona Saturday night.

Misses Teresa Hans from Castroville, Clarissa Keller and Florence Conrad from here were San Antonio visitors last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Nickell of Del Rio spent last week-end with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hawkes and daughter, Miss Eva, here.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stucke of San Antonio were guests of L. Otto and family Sunday.

Joe Monier and daughters, Mrs. Gus Monier and Mrs. Lizzie Carola of San Antonio were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joe Droicourt and family and Francis Monier here Monday evening.

Mrs. Lyda C. McGarr of San Antonio spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Rachel Koontz, here.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Mechler and daughter, Frances, from the Sauz spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Mangold and family at Cliff.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto P. Jungman and daughter, Hazel, and Mr. and Mrs. Ferd Ahr spent a pleasant day with A. O. Biediger and family at Biry Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hawkes and family from Flatonia were visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hawkes and daughter, Miss Eva, here last week.

Roy A. Perrault and family from Pearson were visitors here Monday. Mr. Perrault bought some irrigated land near Pearson from the San Antonio Trust.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Keller and son and Miss Octavia Keller were in San Antonio Sunday to see the ball game between St. Mary's College and LaCoste.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Mangold and sons from Noonan, Mrs. Robert Mechler and children from the Sauz and Mrs. Reinhart Geiger were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mangold here Monday.

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# AMONG THE DRILLERS.

... and pump outfit were going to the O'Brien well on the land in Survey 531 in Medina County Saturday and the well is to be equipped and on the Wednesday and ready to go. This well is about three miles from the Ina field and at 1,007 feet the oil rose 250 feet in the hole. It is about 20 feet of fairly sand and the expectation is it will make a good little well. It is an open a new pool. It is an described as a basin which many men for a long time have thought to furnish some shallow oil. day's Express.

Witherspoon's No. 2 Nixon in Medina County in Survey 119 and south of the Adams gas field is run wild and making gas. This well is around 900 feet and casing not yet been run. The well is to a very considerable extent of the Adams gas field. It was Saturday that the well would be shut in successfully. In the position on the map the appears to be a good full mile of the field to the south provided the sand is the same. day's Express.

Medina Syndicate and Western & Fuel's No. 1 Nixon in Medina County that extended the field 1,600 feet and made 7,000,000 feet of gas. It is about 20 feet of sand topped at 895 feet total depth was 925. It is on Arnette Oil Company lease. day's Express.

... and other equipment to the R. P. O'Brien well in Medina County in the J. C. Jay Survey No. 1. On the pump was going out to well Tuesday and the well may be to test by Wednesday or Thursday. Reports are that the oil is still in the hole. First reported at 400 feet it was said Tuesday to be at 400 feet in the hole. Wednesday's Express.

W. Simpson's No. 1 Blocker in Medina County southeast of the Adams gas field and in Survey 20 has been on hard rock almost ever since drilling in and has made only about 40 feet of hole, there being no light of drill stem to help the drill. Wednesday's Express.

Witherspoon's No. 1 Bader in the northern end of the Medina field is about 200 feet and will make a headway probably from that on. Wednesday's Express.

# WITHERSPOON RUNS CASING IN GASSER IN MEDINA COUNTY.

Witherspoon's No. 2 Nixon in Medina County in Survey 119 was still on Tuesday but about 180 feet of casing was in the hole and over this about 100 feet of 10-inch with a rotary shoe on the bottom had been run. An attempt to cement back the 6-inch was unsuccessful and the 10-inch is being run with the hole that cement can be gotten in back of it. The Witherspoon No. 1 Nixon is 2,400 feet east of the west line of Survey 119 and is 1,000 feet south of the south line of survey 120 and the No. 2 is 2,100 feet south of No. 1.

Medina Syndicate and Western Gas & Fuel No. 1 Arnett-Nixon, 1,650 feet west of the farthest west well in the field, tested through Hellbenton and came in a good gas well estimated at around 7,000,000. Casing has been set and cemented and it is ready to be drilled in and bailed again.

Western Gas & Fuel and C. E. Lange spudded in Monday on the No. 1 Chandler. The well is 1,000 feet east of the last well drilled by Henderson & Holden. Location has also been made for the Western Gas & Fuel and Witherspoon Oil Company No. 3 Adams in block 7 of the Adams tract. It is a west offset to the first well drilled by Lange on the Gulf-Adams lease, and is 631 feet west of the Lange well. It is surrounded by gas wells on all sides. Wednesday's Express.

# SET AND CEMENT 10-INCH CASING IN MEDINA GASSER.

Witherspoon Oil Company's No. 2

Nixon in the Medina field in survey 119 located 2,400 feet from the west line and 3,010 feet from the south line of survey No. 120, which came in Saturday night running wild has set and cemented 100 feet of 10-inch casing. The well will be allowed to run till the cement has had time to set and the gas will then be mudded off and smaller casing set to the gas sand.

There is very little chance but that the well can be successfully completed and it amounts to a good mile or more extension of the gas field to the southwest. It amounts to probably the biggest addition of new territory to the field since the field was discovered by Henderson & Holden of Oklahoma more than a year ago.

Pump equipment was on the ground to pump the O'Brien well in the J. C. Jay survey No. 531 which is more than three miles northwest of the Witherspoon well and which had about 450 feet of oil in the hole at last accounts. It will require several days pumping to give the well an adequate test as the first days pumping will have the advantage of an accumulation of oil in the hole. Probably by the last of the week the well will have been gauged sufficiently to show what it will do. Thursday's Express.

R. P. O'Brien's No. 1 Nixon in Medina County, in Survey 531, was going on the pump Friday with chances that it might be pumping late in the day. By some time Saturday at the latest it was expected it would be on the pump and a few days pumping will disclose the size of the well. It is in a coarser sand than the Ina field, and the oil lighter gravity and according to all appearances with the hole half full of oil, when the pumping started it would make a good well. Saturday's Express.

Marland Oil Company's No. 1 San Antonio Trust Company well, in Medina County, was drilling at 1,348 feet Thursday. It had a little showing of gas at 1,132 feet. Saturday's Express.

Magnolia Petroleum Company is pulling the casing in some of its wells in the Ina field in Medina County. Thursday's Express.

Witherspoon has mudded in the No. 2 Nixon in survey 119 in Medina County, a mile or more southwest of the Adams gas field, that came in running wild. Thursday's Express.

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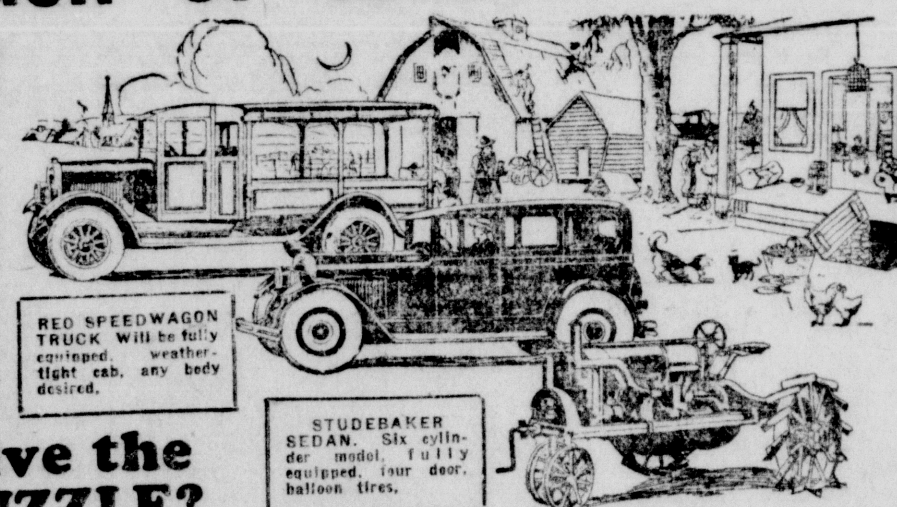
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## BOY SCOUTS TO HAVE RALLY IN SABINAL MONDAY.

Uvalde, Leakey, Hondo and Sabinal Scouts to Take Part in Big Campfire Program.

Plans have been completed for a big Scout Rally and Campfire at Sabinal park Monday evening, May 30, in which all the Scouts of the Frio-Medina District will take part. It begins promptly at 8 P. M. The Rotary Club of Sabinal will sponsor the affair, according to Leon F. Heard, president of the club and Scout Commissioner. The program is as follows:

Music by Evans Band, Uvalde Stunts and Contests:

"Tug of War" between troops  
Pillow Fight  
Tractor Pull  
Bull Dog Fight  
Laugh Fest—Talk Fest  
Fire Building Contest, staged by Leakey troop.  
First Aid Contest, Bandaging, by Sabinal troop.  
Rope-Making and Artificial Respiration, by Hondo troop.  
Knot-Tying and Signalling, by Uvalde troop.  
"Are You Ready, Brother?"  
Challenges by individuals.  
Address by J. P. Fitch, Regional Scout Executive of Texas, Oklahoma and New Mexico.

The campfire will be lighted by the Leakey troop with flint and steel and by friction, that is, rubbing two sticks together. There will be many other features both entertaining and educational. This is to be Boys' Day in Sabinal and in Frio-Medina District. Sabinal urges the parents of these boys to come for this evening program.

The Hondo Scout troop met Friday evening in the Chamber of Commerce office. Dr. Knopp met with the boys, also Mr. Fly and Dr. Smith, to arrange transportation for these fine boys to the celebration in Sabinal Monday night. The boys will make three pieces of rope and demonstrate to the public what boys can do with a ball of twine, and a couple of boards and some wire. They will also give a demonstration of respiration.

## C. M. T. C. TEACHES DIFFERENCE BETWEEN "MILITARISM" AND "MILITARY TRAINING"

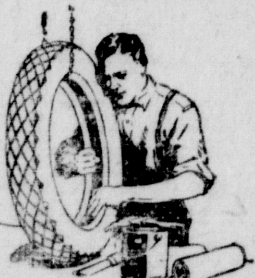
The sharp distinction that must be made between "Militarism" and "Military Training" is taught at C. M. T. Camps something like this:—  
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## MRS. ANNA HAEGELIN DEAD.

Mrs. Mary Anna Haegelin, nee Biry, died at her home in this place Saturday, May 21, 1927. She was buried in the Catholic cemetery here Sunday afternoon after a requiem mass by her pastor, Rev. T. A. Flynn. The deceased was born in Castroville May 5, 1856, and was the eldest of a family of three sisters, daughters of Mr. Benjamin Biry and Mrs. Anna Marie Biry. Her father was killed by the Indians when she was only five years of age. After her father's death, her mother married a Mr. Meyer and several children, half brothers and sisters of the deceased, were born of this latter union. She outlived both of her own sisters, the late Mrs. Theresa Tschirhart and the late Mrs. Amalia Wallace. She also outlived one half-sister, Mrs. Rose Zinsmeyer. Two half-brothers and three half-sisters, however, survive her, namely, Messrs. Louis Meyer of Shertz and Albert Meyer of New Braunfels and Mesdames Ida Biediger and Mathilda Kempf of Castroville and Minnie Tondre of Marion, Texas.

Mrs. Haegelin was married to Alex Haegelin July 13, 1875. Four sons were born of this union, three of whom survive. They are A. L. Haegelin and R. A. Haegelin of this place and E. B. Haegelin of Riomedina. Her eldest son, C. A. Haegelin, was killed in an automobile accident near Laredo in 1910. Her husband died December 16, 1925, at a ripe old age.

She is also survived by fourteen grand-children.

Mrs. Haegelin was a woman of cheerful, friendly disposition and numbered her friends by her acquaintances. She was also devoutly religious and died well prepared with the last sacraments of her church. She died surrounded by her children and her last words were a prayer to Him in Whom she had trusted through a long and useful life.

Though parting is always sad and there are those who needs mourn the sundering of the ties of earthly love, and with whom one can but sympathize, it is unmeet that one should weep over the passing of such a worthy and noble character.

We can but believe that "all is well", and be comforted.

## HOLE IN ONE.

Golfer: "My boy, do you know what becomes of little boys who use bad language while they are playing marbles?"

Small Boy: "Yes sir; they grow up and play golf."—Ex.

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## CLARENCE HARPER KING.

Clarence Harper King died in a Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, hospital on the night of the 17th of May of pneumonia following an operation. His body was shipped to Hondo arriving here on the 11:35 train Saturday, and was buried in the King family plot in the old cemetery Saturday afternoon after a funeral service at the Methodist church.

The deceased was the second son of the late Morgan King and a grandson of Mr. I. H. King of this place. He was born in Hondo, but after the death of his father moved with his mother to San Antonio, where he grew to manhood. He was a young man of fine character, splendid education and with bright prospects for a useful future.

At the time of his death, King was secretary of the International House of New York City. He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Mamie Noonan King; his sister, Miss Abbie King, and two brothers, Horace and Hassell King, all of San Antonio.

This paper joins in sympathy for those who mourn the untimely passing of this young man.

## SELF-CULTURE CLUB MEETS.

The Mother's Self-Culture Club held its regular meeting Friday, May 20th, at the home of Mrs. Theo. Cameron. After the business part was dispensed with, the members entered into an interesting discussion of the lesson as outlined in the course of study. Although the club is in its infancy, the members feel much benefited by the studies, and one new member was enrolled at the meeting, attesting to the worth-while-ness of the club.

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COME everybody and bring the FAMILY and only 50c will admit you from Thursday to Saturday including.

P. S. Any family with 12 or more children present will be admitted free.

"The Unknown Soldier" Monday and Tuesday. Be there.

## YEH! AND NOT SO FAR TO WALK HOME.

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## School Entertainment.

THE FOLLOWING PROGRAM WILL BE RENDERED BY THE PUPILS OF ST. JOHN'S SCHOOL, MAY 31, 1927 AT 7:30 P. M. IN THE SCHOOL AUDITORIUM.

## PROGRAM.

HYMN, "Happy We Who Thus United", A Group of Boys.  
PIANO DUET, "Red Riding Hood," Mary Emma Finger.  
CRORUS, "You're as Welcome as The Flowers in May", Dorothy Zerr.  
RECITATION, "Choice of Trades", Miss Evelyn Finger.  
PIANO TRIO, "Galop", Minims.  
DIALOGUE, "At the Photographer's", Lucille Robinson, Pauline Renken, Genevieve Brucks.  
ACTION SONG, "I Shan't Go To School Any More", A Group of Children.

## COMEDY IN ONE ACT—"A MAID TO ORDER."

### CAST OF CHARACTERS:

MISS BELMONT, The Principal, Ruby Rieber, Class '27.  
MISS ATKINSON, Teacher, Fern Mann.  
MISS POOR, Teacher, Lorene Mann.  
MISS OGLETHORPE, President of a Girls' College and Miss Belmont's guest, Frances Finger.  
JENNIE BANGS, Pupil, Lorene Sauter.  
BETTY GRAY, Pupil, Mary Anne Bendele.  
PIANO TRIO, "Double Quick", Dorothy Zerr.  
ACTION SONG, "Topsy Turvy", Genevieve Brucks, Pauline Renken.  
DRILL, "Pole", Accompanist, The Boys.  
Miss Evelyn Finger.

## COMEDY IN TWO SCENES—"POLITICAL PROMISES."

### CAST OF CHARACTERS:

JOHN BEET, Candidate for Mayor, Clarence Haas.  
WILLIE QUICKLIP, His office boy, Eddie Sauter.  
ADOLPHUS SPIEGELBURGER, A German, Robert Reynolds.  
GEORGE WASHINGTON, A Negro, Edward Mecher.  
ISIDORE COHENSTEIN, A Hebrew, August Finger.  
GIUSEPPE BACIGALUPI, An Italian, Jack Droicourt.  
DRILL, "Hoop", The Girls, Accompanist, Miss Evelyn Finger.  
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